State Government Subcommittee House State & Local Government Committee Amendment No. 1

Amendment No. 5 to HB3026

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 3018

House Bill No. 3026*

By adding the language "representing a racial minority in this state" at the end of subsection (a)(4) of amendatory Section 4-51-105 in Section 1 between the language "one (1) member" and the period.

AND FURTHER AMEND by deleting subsection (b) from amendatory Section 4-51-105 in Section 1, and by substituting instead the following language:

- (b) All appointed members shall be appointed with a view toward equitable racial, gender and geographic representation with appointments being made from the three grand divisions of the state in the following manner:
 - (1) the appointments of the governor shall include a person representing the eastern and middle grand divisions;
 - (2) the appointments of the lieutenant governor shall include a person representing the western and middle grand divisions;
 - (3) the appointments of the speaker of the house of representative shall include a person representing the western and eastern grand divisions; and
 - (4) the joint appointment of the chair of the senate state and local government committee and the chair of the house state and local government committee shall alternate among the three grand divisions with the first appointment being from the western grand division, the next appointments from the middle and eastern grand divisions respectively.